

## RALEIGH IN BRIEF.

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND THE CAPITAL.

Short Items of News Gathered on the Fly by the Chronicle's Reporters.

The Raleigh people are coming back from Richmond. The Governor's Guard returned yesterday afternoon. They report a great day and a big time.

A game of baseball was played yesterday by the "Shanghai Nine" and the A. and M. College club. The score was eight to six in favor of the "Shanghais."

Yesterday was decoration day at the Federal cemetery. Quite a number of people went out to the cemetery, and at 6 o'clock p. m., the graves of the warriors who wore the "Blue" were strewn with choice flowers.

All the members of the "Boys' Brigade" and the "Young Ladies' and Children's Divisions" of the "Busy Bee Band" are requested to meet in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian church this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

There is some of the right sound talk about building a big hotel now. If Raleigh people do not attend to this matter some other people will; and then it is likely that Raleigh people will buy out the hotel at a pretty heavy advance.

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## The Excursion to Tarboro.

Advices have come from Tarboro that the good people of that town will give a great welcome to the excursionists of the Baptist Tabernacle Sunday school, who will leave here for that place next Tuesday. To use their expression, "the latch string will be on the outside."

A great many people are going from Raleigh and they will carry Mayor Thompson along with them to show the people of Tarboro a "model burgomaster."

A long train has been chartered. There will be two servants to each car to look after the needs of excursionists and to keep a bountiful supply of ice water on hand.

There will be no change of cars, but at Selma a new iron horse will be harnessed to the train and will carry it into Tarboro just as fast as it can go with perfect safety.

Tickets for non-members of the Sunday school are on sale at Terrell & Mosley's store, and the price for the round trip is \$1.50.

Everybody will be given the full liberty of the train.

Very perfect arrangements for the trip have been effected, and it is certain that the excursionists are destined to have a good time.

You can save money on gents' and ladies' fine shoes, at  
NORRIS & CARTER'S.

## That Depot.

The delay in the beginning of work on the new Union depot is causing the doubting Thomases to begin their carping again. It has been nearly a year now since the railroad companies decided to build, and not a brick has been laid yet. This breaks the record for delay so far as these progressive companies are concerned. They have probably never before put off so important a matter for so long a time.

But that depot is going up all the same, and a little more patience is all that is needed to make everybody happy about it.

## Peace Institute Commencement.

Sunday, June 1st.—Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. P. H. Hoge, D. D., of Wilmington, N. C., in the First Presbyterian church at 11 a. m.

Monday, June 2d, 8 p. m.—Commencement exercises.

Tuesday, June 3d, 8 p. m.—Annual concert.

Patrons and friends of the school are invited to attend.

Y. M. C. A. Lecture at the A. & M. College.

Rev. Dr. P. H. Hoge, of Wilmington, who is to preach the baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of Peace Institute on Sunday, will deliver a lecture before the Y. M. C. A. of the A. & M. college to-night at eight o'clock. The public has a cordial invitation to attend.

Misses parasols at 50c., worth \$1.00, at  
NORRIS & CARTER'S.

## What They Think of Sam.

Rev. Sam Jones has been invited to go to Wilmington this fall. In view of his coming the Wilmington Star interviewed the resident ministers, with this result: Endorsing Jones, Rev. H. B. Anderson, Methodist; Rev. W. S. Creasy, Methodist; Rev. R. O. Beaman, Methodist; Rev. R. C. Peel, Baptist, (partially). Opposed to Jones: Rev. P. H. Hoge, Presbyterian; Rev. Dr. Pritchard, Baptist; Rev. Robert Strange, Episcopal; Rev. J. Carmichael, Episcopal; Rev. J. W. Primrose, Presbyterian, non-committal.

## "What Day? What Hour?"

How soon comes Death?  
The bloom space of a rose,  
A shower of petals and a gust of wind,  
Fall of white flakes, and a dim night  
that grows,  
A dawn to break the east—  
Lo! he is here.

MARTHA YOUNG.

## COMING AND GOING.

Name of The Folks You Know and Their Doings.

Mr. R. H. Riggsbee, of Durham, is in the city.

Mr. J. W. McNeill, of Fayetteville, was here yesterday.

Rev. C. Durham of this city will preach in Greensboro to-morrow.

Messrs. W. A. Graham and R. L. Gibson, of Charlotte, are here.

Judge D. L. Russell, of Wilmington, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. W. O. Stronach returned yesterday from Richmond.

Dr. R. S. Primrose, of New Bern, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Kalford Kreth, who has been here for a day or two, left yesterday.

Mr. E. B. Barbee returned yesterday from a week's visit to Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Child have returned from a visit to Wrightsville.

Miss Lillie Rouse, of LaGrange, is visiting Miss Susie Timberlake.

Mr. W. H. Smith and wife, of Goldsboro, registered at the Yarbboro yesterday.

Col. Thomas S. Kenan returned yesterday from Richmond, where he saw the Lee Statue unveiled.

Miss Dora Vick and Miss Nannie Atkinson, of Selma, who have been visiting here returned to their homes yesterday.

Mrs. D. C. Murray and Mrs. Geo. T. Cooke returned yesterday from Texas.

They were accompanied by Miss Marian Cooke, of Abilene, who will spend some time here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. J. D. Allen returned from Richmond last night. He reports a big time.

Mr. Allen says he whooped around Lee's statue for six solid hours Thursday and he hasn't recovered his voice entirely yet. His friends need not be uneasy about him when they meet him on the street. His hoarseness is the result of his patriotism.

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## MIGRATORY FISH.

Something About Their Free Passage up Streams.

The readers of the CHRONICLE have already been apprised of the fact that unusual care is being taken to permit the free passage of fish up the various streams of the State, and has cited the law on the subject.

South Carolina has fish laws similar to those of this State.

Commissioner Robinson yesterday received the following letter from Mr. A. P. Butler, commissioner of agriculture of South Carolina:

"We are doing everything in our power to enforce the fish laws in this State, so that shad and other fish may reach their spawning grounds at the foot of the mountains in both your State and ours. I regret therefore to learn that on the Pee Dee river, at Grassy Islands, several dams have been constructed clear across the river, and that extensive fisheries are operated at that point by E. Ingram. The dams are said to offer serious barriers to the passage of fish, and I trust that you will give the matter your early attention."

Replying to this letter Commissioner Robinson wrote as follows:

"We are also doing all in our power for the protection of fish, and will gladly co-operate with you in an effort to clear the Pee Dee river. We will do all we can to have the obstruction at Grassy Islands removed, and in this connection will call your attention to dams on the Pee Dee, just within the bounds of your State, operated by Mr. Pegues at one point and Mr. Harrington at another. The first dam is constructed all the way across the stream, and the fish are caught in dip nets night and day. This is an important matter in which both States are interested, and it is due the people of each State that these obstructions be removed at once."

In connection with the above it may be cited that Section 3,410 of the Code mentions the river over which the commissioner of agriculture has jurisdiction in the matter. He can only deal with dams built for mill or factory purposes. Other obstructions, such as fish dams and wire seines across streams are misdemeanors, however, and are presentable before magistrates.

For Saturday--And for Men--

Negligé shirts, Scotch cheviot shirts, full puffed front shirts, all and every one just the idea for summer weather.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.

HOLLY SPRINGS.

An Interesting Day at the Academy There.

The people of Wake county ought to be proud of Capt. C. F. Siler's school at Holly Springs.

That place is one of the prettiest and most pleasant villages in the country. It is a delightful community and hospitality is one of its chief traits.

The school building is a handsome two story structure, the upper portion being a Masonic hall.

The commencement exercises were held on Thursday and were attended by a very large crowd of people from several counties. Raleigh was quite liberally represented.

The exercises were participated in by the sixty pupils of the school. Of the sixty, twenty-one are boarding pupils, and among the entire number are some of the brightest young gentlemen and ladies in the Old North State.

The commencement exercises were held in the morning. At two o'clock Maj. E. G. Harrell delivered the annual address, and the CHRONICLE has heard the most favorable and complimentary eulogiums pronounced upon it.

Following the address were some special exercises by the young ladies and gentlemen of the school which were greatly appreciated and enjoyed.

At 7:30 o'clock the annual concert—a very good and delightful presentation—was given, and this was followed at nine o'clock by a social lawn party which every body participated in and enjoyed.

Parties who were there affirm that nothing would be more difficult than to arrange a more pleasant day than was afforded on this occasion.

Capt. Siler, the principal of the school, is greatly liked and appreciated by the people of Holly Springs and surrounding country.

The CHRONICLE heard it remarked that the crops in that section are better than they have been for seven years. They are two weeks ahead in every particular, and the bright outlook has put everybody in a hopeful and happy humor.

Greensboro Female College.

Rev. Wilbur F. Tillett, D. D., Dean of the Theological department of the Vanderbilt University, delivered the literary address. His theme was "The Womanhood of South as affected by the War." He is one of the ablest young men in the South and we are sure his address was striking and strong.

There were twenty-two graduates in the literary and five in the musical department.

Naval Stores.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 30.—Spirits turpentine firm at 94. Rosin firm; strained 1.15; good do. 1.20. Tar firm at 1.35. Crude turpentine firm; hard 1.25 yellow dip 2.35; virgin 2.70.

CORN—Firm. White 55; yellow 53 1/2.

The City Cotton Market.

RALEIGH, N. C., May 30—5 P. M. Good Middling ..... 12 1/2  
Strict Middling ..... 12 1/2  
Middling Low Middling ..... 11 1/2  
Tinges ..... 11 1/2  
Stains ..... 11 1/2  
Market steady.

City Produce Market.

Reported for the STATE CHRONICLE by W. C. & A. B. Stronach, Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

RALEIGH, N. C., May 30.  
Geese, 40c  
Ducks, 25 to 40c  
Turkeys, 10c to 15c  
Chickens, 15 to 32c  
Eggs, 10 to 11c  
Pork, 6c  
Beef, 5c  
Hams, 11 to 12c  
White peas, bush, 1.35  
Black peas, do., 1.20  
N. C. Cut Herring, 85 to 100c  
Gross "2.50 Bbl.  
"Mulleto, 3.00 Bbl.  
"Roe Herring, 85 to 100c

Sweet potatoes, 60c  
Dried peaches, peeled, 10c lb  
Dried peaches, unpeeled, 8c lb  
Dried apples, 4 to 5c lb  
Dried damsons, 10c lb  
Dried blackberries, 5c  
Dried whortleberries, 10c  
Hay, per hun, 50c  
Fodder, " 90 to 100  
Shucks, " 40c  
Wheat straw, 40c  
Broom straw, 2c bun.

## WAKE FOREST COLLEGE.

The Commencement Exercises Beginning Monday, June 9th.

The '90 commencement exercises of Wake Forest college will be held June 9th—12th.

Monday the 9th is Class Day.

On Tuesday the 10th, the alumni address will be delivered by Hon. J. J. Davis, at 8:15 p. m.

On Wednesday, at 11 a. m., the address to the literary societies will be delivered by Rev. Thos. Dixon, Jr., of New York. At 8:15 p. m. the baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. Dr. W. W. Landrum, of Virginia.

The graduating class will deliver orations on Thursday, beginning at 11 a. m.

The Philomathesian marshals are: S. M. Brinson, chief; W. A. Osborne and G. A. Sowell.

The Ezellian marshals are: Hubert Royster, chief; W. Mitchell and B. W. Spillman.

Music for the week will be provided by Voelker's band.

Hem-stitched white flouncings at only 50 cents, at  
NORRIS & CARTER'S.

"What is an old fogey?"

"A man who tries to walk so straight that he leans backward"—Chicago Times.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

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Twenty cent plaid nainsooks, at only 12 1/2c. at  
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Bed Rock Prices